IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS TEXARKANA DIVISION

WALTER E. DUNN PLAINTIFF

v. Case No. 4:20-cv-4056

FORWARD AIR INC., CHARLES LUCAS ORIVE, and ENTERPRISE FM TRUST

**DEFENDANTS** 

**ORDER** 

Before the Court is a Motion to Dismiss by Separate Defendant Forward Air, Inc. ECF No. 5. After Forward Air, Inc. filed its Motion to Dismiss, Plaintiff filed a First Amended Complaint in this manner. ECF No. 17. The First Amended Compliant does not list Forward Air, Inc. as a defendant. Because Forward Air, Inc. is no longer a party to this litigation, the Court finds that the Motion to Dismiss should be and hereby is **DENIED AS MOOT**. *See Pure Country, Inc. v. Sigma Chi Fraternity*, 312 F.3d 952, 956 (8th Cir. 2002) (plaintiff's filing of a motion to amend the complaint rendered the defendant's motion to dismiss the original complaint moot).

**IT IS SO ORDERED**, this 20th day of October, 2020.

/s/ Susan O. Hickey

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Chief United States District Judge